FAMOUS FRENCH ARTIST **WILL FINISH PAINTINGS**

Charles Hoffbrauer to Return to Work on Confederate Memorial Institute.

Mr. Hoffbrauer, one of the most cele-brated artists of France, left the work here at the time his country was in-vaded by the Germans. Since then he has fought in France, Belgium and Italy, being connected most of the time with the camouflage forces, whose duties were to deceive the Hun. For a long time after his departure poth-ing was heard from him, and it was feared that he had been killed.

OTHER ARTISTS UNABLE TO COMPLETE PICTURES TO COMPLETE PICTURES

Then an effort was made to get some other artist to finish the work. Several came here, but, after viewing the unfinished paintings, none would undertake the job, pleading that no other artist could do justice to the incomplete work of the master.

The incomplete paintings represent different branches of the Confederate inflitary service. One represents Gen-

military service. One represents General Robert E. Lee surrounded by other leaders of the Confederate army. A second shows Stonewall Jackson watching his troops go into action. A third is of General J. E. B. Stuart and his forces. and his forces.

It is expected that the paintings will be completed this year.

of importing liquor in his automobile from Baltimore, reduced. He was fined \$100, with a jail sentence of one month attached and his car was confiscated. Judge Wells is convinced that Hinton imported the liquor for private use and not as merchandise.

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South Atlantic States—Fair, except rain about Tuesday or Wednesday; nearly normal temperatures.

REVEAL ERROR IN REPORT OF TESTIMONY BY LESTER

Secret Service Man Did Not J. J. Dickinson Aided Hun After 1916.

By Associated Press WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Printing of the official transcript of testimony of Captain E. G. Lester, of the army intelligence service, before the Senate committee investigating German propa

HAS BEEN FIGHTING, GERMANS

Served in Camouflage Division at Western Front and in Italy—Expects to Complete Task Some Time This Year.

Charles Hoffbrauer is to finish the paintings began by him in the Confederate Memorial Institute before the war in Europe started. This has been announced by J. Taylor Ellyson, chairman of the committee in charge of the work.

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Lester did not connect the two in-cidents.

Mr. Dickinson appeared before the committee on January 17 at his own request, and testified that he was em-ployed by Vicreck to write articles for the Fatherland in 1916, and that he severed the connection when the United States broke relations with Germany.

FRESH EGGS NOW SELLING AT 50 CENTS PER DOZEN

ASK LESS PENALTY

Ask Less Penalty

Effort Being Made to Have Governor Act in Came of W. A. Hinton.

An effort is being made to get the ponalties inflicted on W. A. Hinton, who pleaded guilty ten days ago in Hustings Court. Part II. to a charge of importing liquor in his automobile from Baltimore, reduced. He was fined \$100, with a lail sentence of one month is said to be 40 cents a dozen a few are selling them for 40 cents and some others, evidently not keeping up with the market price or not keeping down with a true acking 60 cents.

Poddlers from the country seemed to to have heard that egg prices had come just after they had been in the city some of them yesterday asked 65 cents a dozen just after they had been in the city some time they were content to take less. The retail price in the totake less. The whole-month is said to be 40 cents. The whole-can are selling them for 40 cents and some others, and some others.

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PRIVATES MUSTERED OUT

Corrected Casualty List Reduces Number of Men Missing in Action From 10,000 to 7,783.

DEMOBILIZATION PROGRESSING

Number of American Troops to Be Brought Back From France This Month Expected to Reach Total of 160,000 Men.

By Associated Press 1 WASHINGTON, Feb. 8.—Last week's

casualty report, showing more than missing in action, has been corrected General March said to-day General doubled.

Pershing had reported the new total with the information that the figures were being reduced by from 190 to 200 names per day as a result of the checking of records in the central records offices in France.

At the same time General Pershing gave the War Department new totals of casualities in the First and Second Divisions, the marine brigade in the latter being included. The First Division had a total of killed, died of wounds, missing and prisoners of 5, 248; the Second Division's total was 5,260.

DEMOBILIZATION IS ON THE HOME STRETCH Several Other Dealers Offered Them for as Low as Forty Cents—While—sale Price Drops.

Fresh eggs have declined in price, but it depends on what store you will be asked to tay. Most merchants are seking them for 50 cents a dozen; a few are seking them for the first of the first

at such a point of efficiency and op-eration, the chief of staff explained, that it is capable of handling more men than Pershing can possibly send.

terative, the tonic and upbuilder of Times-Dispatch .- Adv. 20 years' successful use. 80c and \$1.50 bottles from druggists, or from Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia .-

of maintained for future demobilization of returning units, will be left. Up of the end of January 236.824 men had on BOLSHEVIST FO ON BOLSHEVIST FORCES The War Department estimates that 160,000 will be returned in February. This is an increase of 16,000 over the danuary total, due largely to the transformation of cargo vessels into transports. General Merch said that fifty, one cargo ships had been ordered converted and that the first of these were new coming into service.

British and Russian Troops Are Sup-ported by American Machine Gunners.

ARCHANGEL, Friday, February 7.— British and Russian troops, supported by American machine-gun and trench-OF GERMAN LINERS

The War Department has not been advised that negotiations for German liners to carry home American troops have been concluded, General March said. No definite estimates as to the ships which will be obtained, the time when they will be available, or their carrying capacity are now at hand. The greatest militury camp in the world will be established at Brest when plans for extension of embarkation facilities there have been completed, General March said Brest would be the backbone of the American demobilization system. It already has handled 51 per cent of the soldiers sent back to the United States up to date. Its capacity for 50,000 men is to be doubled.

Birlish and Russian troops, supported by American machine, gun and trenchmortar units, begaif an attack at 10 octoek this morning against the Bolsshevist on the Petrograd road south of Kadish. There have been no final reports on the result of the fighting.

The infantry went forward after the Canadian artillery had silenced the enemy artillery in a bombardment of several hours. The attack was made for the purpose of protecting the American positions at Sredmakenga, about thirty miles eastward, from a final Russian troops, supported by American randching trenchmotors, with the petrograd road south of Kadish. There have been no final reports on the result of the fighting.

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Seek New York Youth.

The parents of Herman Berman, a fourteen-year-old boy, of 68 East One Hundred and Fourteenth Street, New

continue, serious results are sure to

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ing increase and remarkable preva-lency of kidney disease. While kidney

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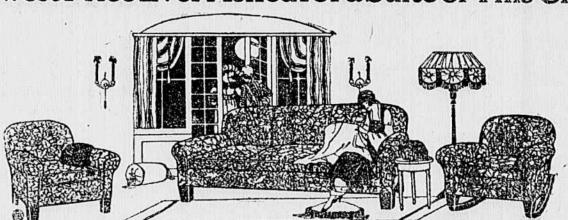
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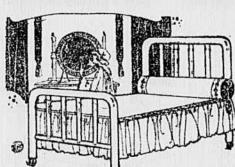
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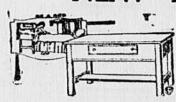
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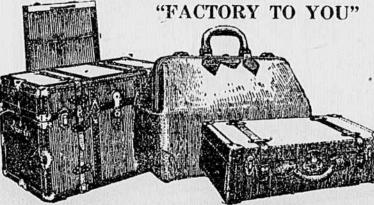
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